ELLS OF GROWTH OF GEOGRAPHIC SOCIETY

rom Membership of 200 in 1888. It Has Grown to 281.556.

From a membership of less than 29 utside of Washington, at its start, to fore than a thousand times that many the report of progress of the Naonal Geopraphic Society, according to te figures given out by Gilbert H. rosvenor. Fifteen years ago the solety was small and unknown; today is thought to be the largest and ost popular scientific organization in ie world, with a membership of 281,376. in 1888, the National Geographic Sofety was organized under a national harter "to promote the increase and is only income was the dues of its nembers, 167 in number. It had no remanent home, its headquarters occupying half of a small office room, it constantly faced a deficit. The sofety struggled through a hand-to nouth existence as a local society ntil 1899, when a new question, unique is the history of science, was asked. Why not take the science of geography at the homes of the people? Why not the homes of the people? Why of popularize the magazine the sofety was publishing, transforming it rom one of cold scientific fact, excessed in hieroglyphic terms which he layman could not understand, into ffusion of geographic knowledge he layman could not understand, into medium for carrying the living, resthing, human-interest fact about he wide world into the family circle? Yould not that be the greatest agency f all for the diffusion of geographic mowledge?

Five Fold in Year.

When this policy was adopted, the ociety had fewer than 200 members utside the city of Washington. One ear later its out-of-town membership ad increased five-fold. As the society's ncome increased, the money was reinested in its magazine, making it larger and better. Soon, instead of a society apporting a magazine, its magazine ras supporting the society. By 1904, five cars after the change in policy, the nembership list included 3.256 names. Four years later there were 28.198 members, and 118,295 in another four years. In the last twelve months 100,000 new nambers have been enrolled. The membership of the society now extends into very State and Territory in the United States; every country of North and louth America and Europe: practically ested in its magazine, making it larger bouth America and Europe: practically

wery country in Asia, and into fortylive towns in Africa.

The society's work of increasing
regraphic knowledge, by encouraging
exploration and research work with
such financial grants as its resources
vill permit, has taken it into many
leids. It has just embarked on another leids. It has just embarked on another xpedition to the wilds of Peru.

Excursion Completed.

A series of investigations, extending ever three years, of the glaciers of klaska has been completed. The sodety investigated the recent eruption of Mt. Katami, in Alaska. It sent an expedition to Mt. Pelee and La Sou-riere to study the eruptions of these rolcances, and a trained geologist to sicily to investigate the Messina earth-

motes rainfall; another, why twilight in the property of the study of geography from a pilgrimage over an assistess feser to ininteresting fact into a joursey through the most fertile valley of asscinating information about how "the other haif" of the world lives, and it has done this by means of authentic articles and remarkable photographs.

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Brookland Citizens to Hold Final Meeting of the Brooklanding information about how "the other haif" of the world lives, and it has done this by means of authentic articles and remarkable photographs.

Seek Motorcyclist Who Ran Down Little Girl

Police of the Ninth precinct are enfleavoring today to learn the identity of operator of a motorcycle that ran down and injured Florence Johnson, eight years old, of 300 Delaware avenue northeast, at Third and C streets north-east last evening. The child's head and face were bruised. The police were told that the man did not stop.

Federal Veterinarian Gored by Vicar's Cow

Dr. Thomas H. McKeown, veterinarian at the Agricultural Department ecover, according to physicians. Dr. McKeown was making a tuber-cilli, test last evening when the animal furned on him. Dr. McKeown was placed in a buggy and driven to his dome at Oxon Hill, Md.

Found Gas-Poisoned.

Couries E. Foster, forty-five years old. 331 Twelfth atreet northwest, was and unconscious in bed this morning to the effects of inhaling illuminating to the was taken to Emergency Hos-He was taken to Emergency Hos-where it was said he would re-

Thin People Can Increase Weight cleaned

Thin men and women who would like to increase their weight with 10 or 15 pounds of healthy "stay there" fat should try eating a little Sargol with their meals for a while and note results. Here is a good test worth trying. First weigh yourself and measure yourself. Then take Sargol—one tablet with every meal—for two weeks. Then weigh and measure again. It isn't a question of how you look or feel or what your friends say and think. The scales and the tape measure will tell their own story, and most any thin man or woman story, and most any thin man or woman will look best. tape measure will tell their own story, and most any thin man or woman can easily add from five to eight pounds in the first fourteen days by following this simple direction. And best of all, the new flesh stays put.

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have eaten, into rich, ripe fat produc-ing nourishment for the tissues and ilood-prepares it in an easily assimila-led form which the blood can readily accept. All this nourishment now pass-ing from your body or waste. But incollistons the wante and does it suckly and makes the fat producing ontents of the very same meal you are eating now develop pounds am pounds of healthy fiesh between you pounds of healthy fiesh between your rivin and bones. Sargol is safe, pleasant, efficient and hiexpensive James O'Donnell Dring Stores and other leading druggists in Washington and vicinity sell it in large boxes—forty tabeets to a package—on a guarantee of weight increase or money back.—Advt.

PAID HIGH TRIBUTE



MRS. ELLIS LOGAN.

RE-ELECT MRS, LOGAN FEDERATION HEAD

No greater tribute could be paid Mrs. Ellis Logan, president for the past year of the District of Columbia Federation of Women's Clubs, declare the members today, than the rising vote of acclamation taken at yesterday's meeting which insures her leadership for aonther year.

At the conclusion of a harmonious and businesslike meeting at the Eighth Street Temple yesterday, Mrs. Logan received the honor of being president of the federation for another year. The meeting was in celebration of the twentieth founding of the organization, and included a business meeting and an election of officers.

Other officers elected are: Mrs. Curt Wood, first vice president; Mrs. Celynda Ford, second vice president; Mrs. Clayton Emig, recording secretary; Mrs. John Stokes, corresponding sccretary; Mrs. Mary E. F. Lavis, treasurer, and Mrs. William Pitcher, general sec-

retary.

riere to study the eruptions of these roleances, and a trained geologist to sielly to investigate the Messina earth-puake. It has assisted various Arctic expeditions.

The correspondence of the society inside the remarkable range of increst of its members. Here is a letter from a man wanting to know who publishes the best bathymetrical chart; here another inquiring as to the arcs of parallel south of the equator; a third asks for precise information upon the rate of movement of glaciers.

A merchant wants to know what preautions will be necessary to maintain its health, and what kind of clothing its should take along to the west coast of South Africa. A man wonders where gum arabic comes from; another leks to know why afforestation pronotes rainfall; another, why twilight in the topics is so short.

The National Geographic Society has Chances in the constitution to take

Hold Final Meeting

The last meeting of the Brookland Citizens' Association before summer adjournment will be held in Masonic Temple, Brookland, tonight. The schedule of streets to be recommended for the next District appropriation bill will be submitted by the street committee. Reports from the Brookland rose should ports from the Brookland rose show and Fourth of July celebration com-mittees will be presented.



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While Looking For Flies, Remember Mosquitoes

In destroying the breeding place of the fly don't overlook the mosquito.

This advice is offered by the Health Department in its weekly bulletin made public today. It is an accepted fact, says the bulletin, that the mosquito is a malaria carrier. At this season of the year the insects begin laying their eggs in stagnant water, The public is requested to aid the department in its campaign against the mosquito by destroying such breeding places.

"Do not permit water to accumulate"

in tin cans and other receptacles, says the bulletin. "The rain gutters of houses should be examined, and where it is found that they sag in such manner as to hold water they should be repaired. The down-spouts should be examined, and where it is found that they sag in such manner as to hold water they should be repaired. The down-spouts should be repaired. The down-spo

PROUTY AMENDMENT

ATTACKED BY WEST Federal Aid in Payment of Dis-

trict Expenses Not Charity. He Says. When the District of Columbia asks hat Federal Government contribute a share to the support of the National

'apital, it is not asking charity, acording to former Commissioner Henry West, who was the chief speaker at luncheon at the Commercial Club yesterday afternoon. He made a deter-Women's Clubs Elect Delegates
to Biennial Convention in

Tending attack on the Prouty amendment to the George bill, but said there was no desire on the part of the majority members of either house to be unjust to Washington.

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compense is made. "More than this I assert that the

National Capital,

"The individual deposits in the District banks run between \$70,000,000 and \$75,000,000, so that to tax us \$15,000,000 a year would take one-fifth of all the money which we have. It is difficult to understand how any one can seriously suggest a degree of taxation which is simpost equivalent to confiscation and is almost equivalent to confiscation, and yet, unless Congress can be made to appreciate the facts, there is danger that it will receive affirmative action in the House.

RAILROAD EXPERTS **CLASH OVER RATES**

Thorne Calls Brandeis' Action "Most Unusual and Amazing Incident of Kind."

A sharp clash over the advance i freight rates proposed for Eastern to ritory has occurred between Clifford Thorne, representing eight Western State railroad commissions, and the National Live Stock Association, and Louis D. Brandels, special counsel for the commission in the advanced rate

In his argument before the commis sion a short time ago, Mr. Brandels adnitted the revenue of the roads in official classification territory was inadethe Government to the support of the National Capital is in no sense a gratuity," said Mr. West. "It is a sum paid in lieu of taxation, for which due In a supplemental brief, filed with the

In a supplemental brief, filed with the commission, Mr. Thorne replies to some "More than this I assert that the amount which the American people pay, amounting to three 2-cent postage stamps a year per capita, is neither enough in the inherent sense of justice of the American people to believe that being they do not, as a whole, make any protest against national support for the National Capital.

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The position which has been taken by Mr. Thorne is that the figures of the railroads do not show they need an increase of rates. sensational.



Holy Name Society to

The Holy Name Society of Trinity Church, Georgetown, will hold a rally tonight at 8 o'clock at Trinity Hail. Congressman Kinkaid of New Jersey, President Shaefer, of the Diocesan Association; Father Edward McGrath, S. J., and others are scheduled to speak.

Austria Uses Movies to Raise Airship Funds

VIENNA, May 7.-About 150 theaters Vienna and other cities in Austria are giving "Movie" shows today, the entire proceeds of which are to swell he fund for Austria's military aerial

Miss Hager Improved.

Miss Edna N. Hager, who was acci- Italy. ientally injured on Tuesday evening by an automobile driven by Mrs. C. C. Mction, it was said today, is not serious,

Seventh Street

TO SELL THE CONGO ANTI-TRUST WORK

Leaders Eager to Pass Some Measure, But Also Want Early Adjournment.

Much worry over the anti-trust legislation to be enacted this session prevails among Democratic leaders. The worriment is not merely at the Capitol. The President also is concerned.

legislation before adjournment, and Senator Newlands, chairman of the Senate

without attempting trust legislation others want a mild and harmless sort Meet at Trinity Church of bill, which will do as little to hurt the big combinations of capital as possible, and yet will do for the purposes of talking about on the stump this fall. Others want a drastic and far-reaching neasure.

The situation is such that many a the Capitol believe there will be no rust legislation at all this session, uness Congress remains here nearly all

Bootblack Made \$15,000 In 10 Years; Off to Italy

NEW YORK, May 7.-Ten years ago Cony Sabatino appeared in Paterson N. J., and blackened the boots of pros perous citizens. Yesterday he bid his friends good-by, showed \$15,000 in cash he had accumulated, and started for

Tony claims hard work won him success. Those who know him say railroads do not show they need an increase of rates.

In Interstate Commerce circles, and
among those who have been following
the rate case closely, the clash between
Thorne and Brandeis is looked on as

Those who know him say
culloch, wife of Lieutenant Colonel Mcthat much of the money came from
Emergency Hospital to her home, 1211 I
street southeast. She is suffering from
Concussion of the brain, but her condithat much of the money came from
working "a trick of the trade." This
was to reply to all queries of how his
concussion of the brain, but her condioften resulted in an extra tip.

Garrison Denies Rumor

Of Silliman Relief Party

orders to send soldiers to the relief of Consul Silliman at San Luis Potosi. "The Silliman matter has been taken up in no way with this department and such an expedition would not come un-Secretary of War Garrison today de- der General Funston's discretionary

nied that General Funston is under any powers." he said.

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